

FISCAL NOTE

HB 2296 - SB 2311

March 17, 2005

SUMMARY OF BILL: Adds new requirements to the availability of health care provider records for inspection and copying without an authorization for release. Authorizes the state to force production of the records and grant a hearing to determine reasonableness for the request. Grants the Chancery Court of Davidson County exclusive and sole jurisdiction to hear and decide any petitions filed.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:


MINIMAL

Assumption:

- Additional requirements for the availability of health care provider records would have no fiscal impact on the Department of Health or the Department of Human Services.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "James" written in a smaller, more compact script than the last name "White".

James W. White, Executive Director